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TESTIMONY IS ALL IN.

The Defense in the Marcum Murder Trial Rested.

Eight Arguments Will Be Made, Four For the Prosecution and Four For the Defense—Case Will Go to the Jury in a Few Days.

Cynthiana, Ky., Aug. 7.—Thursday afternoon Capt. B. B. Golden, one of the attorneys for the defense, announced that their side rested as to evidence in chief.

In the case of commonwealth of Kentucky against Curtis Jett and Tom White, on trial here for the killing of James B. Marcum, the day was principally taken up in the impeaching of the morality and truthfulness of Capt. B. J. Ewen, one of the main witnesses for the prosecution. Some 25 witnesses from his own county and other witnesses from Powell county, where he resided until he moved to Jackson, some ten years ago, testified that his morality was bad as well as his reputation for truthfulness. At the same time some of them testified that he was a church goer, a constant attendant on Sunday-school, that he never drank whisky or gambled at all.

Many of them were confused on cross-examination, especially those from Breathitt county, by the fact of their being strongly allied to the Hargis faction in Breathitt county, and attempting to prove what was said to them about Ewen's character by men who had a criminal record. The best impeaching evidence was offered by a number of citizens of Powell county, including among their number the county judge, the sheriff and others who had the appearance of being well to do men who testified to Ewen's bad reputation as to morality and truthfulness among his neighbors, although each of these witnesses as far as their personal opinion was concerned testified without exception that he paid his debts promptly, never drank, never gambled and attended church regularly while residing among them.

"Tickle" Jim Bach, who testified several days ago for the defense, was contradicted by the witnesses Russell, for the prosecution, and also by Cy Holland. Tickle swore he had seen the killing several days ago, and these witnesses say that Tickle told them that he did not see the killing and that he was glad he did not see it.

The commonwealth is making preparations to swear out a warrant for the arrest of Tickle Bach and John L. Noble, called "Rat Ankle." They will be charged with false swearing. Cynthiana, Ky., Aug. 8.—In the famous case of the commonwealth of Kentucky against Curtis Jett and Thomas White, after 11 days trial of the case, and in which all points were hotly contested by able attorneys representing both sides, the commonwealth rested its case on rebuttal at 4:01 Friday afternoon. The defense at 4:30 announced that they were through with their side of the case.

The day was entirely taken up in introducing witnesses on rebuttal by both sides and at times very acrimonious debates were had by the opposing counsel on disputed points of law.

Robert Davidson, Abner Eversole, James B. Little, Abe Short, L. T. Bolin, Robert Fulkerson, Hardin Childers, Wiley H. Combs, N. E. Combs, J. H. Blanton and M. Forbes, witnesses for the rebuttal on prosecution, all of whom presented a very respectable appearance, testified to the good character and truthfulness of B. J. Ewen, the leading witness for the prosecution and the only one who testified that he saw the man who fired the shot that killed Marcum. They were rigidly cross-examined but stood their examination well.

Joe Moore was placed on the stand by the defense to prove that on the morning of the killing Jett was holding his hand in such a manner to his front side as to indicate that the right hand was crippled. One of the grounds of the defense is that Jett's hand was so crippled by being mangled by a log a few weeks before the killing of Marcum, that it was a physical impossibility for him to use a pistol.

Eight arguments will be made in the case, four on each side. Messrs. J. L. Blanton, W. T. Lafferty, B. B. Golden and James D. Black will speak for the defense. Messrs. Thomas D. Marcum, brother of the dead man, and a criminal lawyer of some note in Muscogee, I. T. and County Attorney J. Stanley Webster, Col. A. F. Byrd and Commonwealth's Attorney Fryer will address the jury for the prosecution. The arguments will begin in the case Saturday morning at 8:30. Instructions were not given to the jury Friday evening, but will be read to them immediately upon the convening of court Saturday morning and before the first argument.

Will Be Opened Next Month. Chicago, Aug. 8.—The largest French library in the world outside of France, is to be opened in Chicago early next month. This was the announcement made Friday by Prof. Maxime Ingres, of the University of Chicago.

Charged With Inciting Riot. Danville, Ill., Aug. 8.—Bessie Armstrong was arrested by Sheriff Whitlock. She has been identified as the woman who mounted a wagon across from the jail on the evening of July 25 and advised the mob attacking the jail to shoot down the sheriff.

Elected Bishop. Mexico City, Aug. 8.—The synod of the Mexican Episcopal church has elected as its provisional bishop Rt. Rev. Dr. Satterlee, bishop of Washington. The choice is cordially received here.

LIEUT. GEN. MILES RETIRED.

He Has Been in Command of the Army Since October 2, 1895.

Washington, Aug. 8.—Lieut. Gen. Nelson A. Miles, commanding the army, retires from active service at noon Saturday, having reached the age limit of 64 years.

He was assigned by the president October 2, 1895, to command the army of the United States. Several other orders resulting from the retirement of Gen. Miles have been



LIEUT. GEN. NELSON A. MILES.

issued, one assigning Lieut. Gen. Young to the command of the army until August 15, when he will assume the duties of chief of staff, another assigning Maj. Gen. Corbin as president of the soldiers' home board, another Brig. Gen. Gillespie as president of the board on ordinance and fortification and still another assigning Lieut. Gen. Young as a member of the Sherman statue commission.

FASTEST TIME ON RECORD.

Run Made From Ocean to Ocean in 73 Hours and 21 Minutes.

Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 8.—At 1:06 o'clock Friday evening the special train bearing Henry P. Lowe, chief engineer of the United States steel corporation, drew in at LaGrande station, having completed a run from the Atlantic to the Pacific ocean, a distance of more than 3,200 miles, in the fastest time on record.

Mr. Lowe left New York on Tuesday, August 4, at 2:45 p. m., and arrived in Los Angeles 73 hours and 21 minutes later, one hour and 21 minutes more than three days of actual running time, which includes the three hours gained by running from east to west.

The record breaking run just finished by Mr. Lowe was undertaken to gain the bedside of his 11-year-old daughter, who was dying in Los Angeles. The child died early Thursday morning, but Mr. Lowe was not advised of her death until well on his way.

LOST MONEY IN SPECULATION.

Treasurer of a Preacher's Aid Society a Confessed Defaulter.

Boston, Aug. 8.—In a letter written last Tuesday from Montreal to the pastor of his church in East Boston, Wilford S. Allen, treasurer of the Preachers' Aid society of the New England conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, confessed that he was a defaulter to the amount of more than \$80,000 of the society's funds.

Mr. Allen has been treasurer of the society for 12 years and clerk of the East Boston district court for 29 years, and for 16 years was a prominent member of the school committee of Boston. He left home about a week ago, without announcing his destination, and the first heard from him was the letter to the East Boston clergyman. Mr. Allen said that he had lost the money in speculation. He requests the minister to notify the members of the Allen family and the officers of the society of his confession.

CHAMPION JEFFRIES.

Appeared at An Entertainment For the Benefit of a Cripple.

San Francisco, Aug. 8.—For the first time since he has been in training, Champion Jeffries sparred in public at Harbin Springs Thursday night. He appeared at an entertainment given for the benefit of a cripple, and boxed three rounds each with Fitzsimmons, Joe Kennedy and Jack Jeffries. He appeared to be in splendid condition, and apparently quicker on his feet than formerly.

FOUND GUILTY.

The Disturbers of the Booker T. Washington Meeting Sentenced.

Boston, Aug. 7.—Granville Martin, William M. Trotter and Bernard Charles, who were found guilty of disturbing the Booker T. Washington meeting at the Zion M. E. church a week ago, were Friday sentenced, Martin and Trotter to serve 30 days in prison, the maximum penalty under the law, and Charles was fined. He paid the fine and the others appealed.

The Irish Land Bill.

London, Aug. 8.—The Irish land bill passed the committee stage in the house of lords Friday night after a lengthy discussion and amendment. In the course of the division the government was three times defeated. Third reading takes place Tuesday.

Rr. Adm. Reamy to Retire.

Washington, Aug. 8.—Rr. Adm. Geo. C. Reamy, the ranking officer of his grade, will be retired on Monday. He was appointed to the navy from Iowa in 1855 and reached the grade of rear admiral in 1898.

CIRCUS TRAIN WRECK.

Twenty-Three People Killed and a Large Number Hurt.

One Elephant and Two Camels Were Killed Outright, While the Other Animals of the Menagerie and Their Trainer Escaped.

Durand, Mich., Aug. 8.—An air brake on the second section of Wallace Bros.' circus train refused to work in the Grand Trunk railway yards here early Friday, causing a collision between the two sections. The circus train was in two sections of about 35 cars each. After Thursday night's exhibition at Charlotte the two trains left for Lapeer over the Grand Trunk road, the second section leaving a half hour after the first. It was 3:45 o'clock when the first section pulled into the west end of the Grand Trunk yards here. A red light was hung on the rear car to stop the second section. Engineer Probst, of Battle Creek, who was running the engine of the rear train, says he saw this light and applied the air brakes. To his horror, it refused to work. He reversed his engine, but the momentum of the train behind was too great, and with a crash that aroused all of the town near the yards, the two trains met. Three cars of the stationary first section were telescoped and the engine and five cars of the moving train were demolished. The rear car of the first section was a caboose, in which the trainmen were sleeping, and the next two were filled with sleeping circus employees.

The greatest loss of life was in the caboose. One of the wrecked cars of the second section was occupied by five elephants and several camels. One of the elephants and two camels were killed outright, while the other animals and their trainer escaped. With the exception of this car none of the menagerie was wrecked, the other demolished cars containing canvas or wagons, and there was comparatively little excitement among the wild animals.

The death list stood Friday night at 23, seven of whom are in the morgue unidentified. Coroner Farrer Friday afternoon impaneled a jury, viewed the remains and adjourned until August 14, when the inquest will be held.

In discussing the question of responsibility for the horror the railroad officials unhesitatingly lay it to Engineer Probst, of the second section of the train, whose home is in Battle Creek. Probst says that the air brakes on his train refused to work, but the officials declare that he could have stopped the train in time to avoid serious consequences. General Manager F. H. McQuigan said Friday afternoon: "Probst knew that he was coming into a yard where trains usually stand and take on coal and water. The rules say plainly that engineers shall approach such yards with the trains under control. A brakeman sent back by the first train warned him of the danger three-quarters of a mile before he got to the standing section. For nearly half a mile before he got to the first train the track is straight and clear and he should have been able to see the red light on the back of the train ahead in time to stop his train."

The official report on the accident issued by Superintendent Brownlee declares positively that the airbrakes have been tested since the accident and found to be in perfect condition and there is evidence that they were not applied.

E. A. Guillaume, of Louisville, has telegraphed to Mayor Potter inquiring whether his brother was killed, and it is believed that he may be one of the unidentified dead.

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 8.—Twenty-two of the injured circus men were brought to Detroit Friday afternoon in a special hospital train and taken to Harper hospital. At the hospital it was stated that none of them was likely to die Friday night, although John Thomson, of Peru, Ind.; Geo. Clough, of Geneva, O., and James Stewart, of Denver, are in a serious condition and may not recover.

TRIP AROUND THE WORLD.

A Newspaper Man Making An Effort to Break the Record.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 8.—According to a cable received Friday, J. W. Sayer, who is traveling around the world for the Seattle Times in an effort to break the best previous record, sailed Friday from German on the steamer Campana and will reach Seattle in 55 days after he left. If he makes it in 55 days he will have broken the world's record of 60 days 16 1/2 hours, made by Charles C. Fitzmorris. Mr. Sayer is making his trip entirely by public conveyances.

No Representation at the Fair.

Cape Town, Aug. 8.—The assembly, by a vote of 46 to 28, Friday adopted a motion which expunges from the estimates the provision of \$50,000 toward the representation of Cape Colony at the St. Louis exposition.

Summit of Mount Washington.

Mount Washington, N. H., Aug. 8.—Congressmen Joseph C. Cannon and James A. Heningway, of Indiana; W. E. B. Vreeland and Lewis Emerson, of New York, and Joseph C. Sibley, of Pennsylvania, were at the summit of Mount Washington Friday.

Week's Business Failures.

New York, Aug. 8.—There were 173 commercial failures this week in the United States against 190 last week, 191 the preceding week and 196 the corresponding week of last year, and in Canada 19, against 19 last week.

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